

Application Serial No. 09/928,077
Atty. Docket No. 13183 (6365/83213)

Amendment B After Final

Remarks:

Responsive to the Official Action mailed September 9, 2003, which Action was made final, Applicants would like to first thank the Examiner Shosho for her allowance of claims 25 and 27-29. Applicants submit that, as amended, claims 30 and 31 are likewise allowable over the art of record (for the same reasons that claims 25 and 27-29 are allowable), and respectfully and earnestly requests early indication of same.

In this regard, Applicant has amended claim 30 to include the constituents of the ink formulation of claim 25. In addition, applicant has cancelled claims 1 and 3-24 (claim 2 having been previously cancelled) in an effort to bring prosecution of the present application to conclusion.

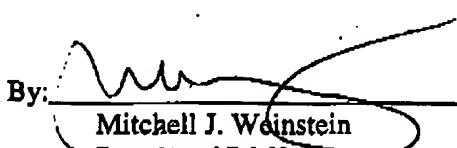
In conclusion, Applicants respectfully requests that claims 30 and 31 be allowed (in addition to 25 and 27-29 already allowed) and that early indication of same issue.

Applicant believes that there is no fee due in connection with the present amendment. If, however, there is a fee due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any underpayment, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0920. Should any petitions be necessary, applicant requests that this paper constitute any such necessary petition.

If the examiner finds that there are any outstanding issues that may be resolved by a telephone interview, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below listed number.

Respectfully submitted,

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